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Montana faces a changing and challenging economy, ever more complex issues regarding the health and security of our people, our management of natural resources, and an increasing need for business, education and government to be partners for a strong, growing Montana. Progress depends on developing a sustainable core of committed leaders who understand these issues, are willing to listen to and learn from each other, celebrate cultural diversity and diverse opinions, and demonstrate a passion for the Last Best Place. This is the Mission of Leadership Montana.

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INSTRUCTIONS: Complete your application online (then print and mail), type or print clearly. Applications can be downloaded from our website www.leadershipmontana.org. Limit your responses to the space provided. Applications must be signed by you and your employer/sponsor, if applicable. Tuition for Class of 2008 is \$2,500 per participant. A \$25 non-refundable application fee must be submitted with the application.

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Leadership Montana Application

Class of 2008

Full support and encouragement from the applicant's employer is required in terms of financial commitment and/or the time to participate effectively in **Leadership Montana**.

EMPLOYER OR SPONSOR COMMITMENT

I have reviewed this application and fully support this individual's participation in **Leadership Montana**, and agree to the time and financial commitment required for the program.

Employer's Signature

APPLICANT COMMITMENT

I certify that all of the information I have provided in this application is complete and true.

If selected, I am fully prepared to be an active participant, by attending all sessions, being fully involved, and devoting the time and resources required to complete the **Leadership Montana** program. I am willing to commit my support, volunteer time, energy and skills in future years.

Applicant's Signature		

SUBMIT:

Name and Title (Please print)

- Application Form (Please review for completeness)
- \$25 Application Processing Fee (non-refundable)

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APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN: March 15, 2007

Participants are selected by the Leadership Montana Selection Committee on the merits of the information provided on the enclosed application. The Committee seeks representation from a cross-section of the community including rural, urban, business, non-profit, government, gender, and ethnic and minority groups. Information on this application is used to add diversity and balance to the class. It is not available for any other purpose.

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Thank you for applying for Leadership Montana!



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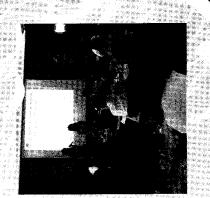
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Orientation and Retreat/Alumni Meeting SEPTEMBER 6-8, 2006 · BIG SKY

The Journey Begins!

previous Leadership Montana classes. our communities and state; gathering with members of Trusteeship: aligning our personal mission with the needs of

Economic Opportunities East of the Mountains OCTOBER 12-14, 2006 · SIDNEY

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Meet with the Montana Board of Regents Higher Education, Entrepreneurship and the Economy NOVEMBER 15-17, 2006 · MISSOULA

commercialization. Learn about the latest in research and the opportunities for What role does education play in our state's economic future?

Natural Resources, Manufacturing and the Environment JANUARY 11-13, 2007 • BUTTE

technologies. Discover Butte's role in our state's history and the relationships between our basic industries and the new

Security at home and abroad Montana's Role in our National Defense; Homeland FEBRUARY 22-24, 2007 • GREAT FALLS

agricultural community. Meet the "Guardians of the High Frontier" at Malmstrom Air Force Base and stewards of Montana's natural beauty in the

State Government and Public Policy MARCH 29-31, 2007 · HELENA

state forward makers. Discover your personal responsibility in moving our Interact with the State Legislature; learn from key decision

Health Care; Native American Culture; Graduation MAY 9-11, 2007 · BILLINGS

Participants will share their personal mission and their vision past year and their future leadership roles. for Montana, celebrating the journey they have been on in the



Issue Awareness

Exploring key questions for Montana's experts...Topical briefings. uture...In-depth examination and interaction with subject matter

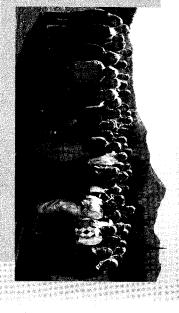
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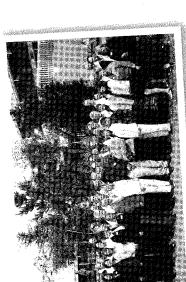
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Orientation and Retreat

The Journey begins!

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October 11-13, 2007 • Kalispell

Economic Diversity and Native American Culture

growing areas; Our Native American heritage. Special opportunities and challenges facing our fastest

November 14-16, 2007 • Bozeman

Education, Entrepreneurship and the Economy;

Meet with the Board of Regents

Our Quality of Life. future? Why families and businesses choose Montana – What role does Education play in our state's economic

January 10-12, 2008 • Helena

State Government and Justice

about Montana's judicial system. Interact with Montana's state government leaders; learn

Military and Energy February 21-23, 2008 • Great Falls

impact the nation's energy needs. Malmstrom Air Force Base and learn how Montana could Meet the "Guardians of the High Frontier" at

March 27-29, 2008 • Lewistown

Agriculture and Eastern Opportunities

revitalization of our rural communities Agriculture in the Heart of Montana and the

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Health Care; Graduation

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